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SUBJECT: WEINSTEIN DISAPPEARANCE

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1. EMBASSY HAS HEARD THROUGH THREE RELIABLE SOURCES THAT BEATRIZ ROSALIA IPARRAGUIRRE DE WEINSTEIN HAS BEEN RELEASED AND HAS RETURNED TO HER FAMILY.

2. A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES HUMAN RIGHTS DELEGATION (BUENOS AIRES 1871) WAS TOLD BY MRS. WEINSTEIN'S SISTER THIS MORNING 3/14 THAT THE ABDUCTED WOMAN HAD BEEN RELEASED IN THE AVELLANEDA SECTION OF GREATER BUENOS AIRES. BUENOS AIRES HERALD EDITOR BOB COX HAD SIMILAR WORD FROM MRS. WEINSTEIN'S HUSBAND DURING THE AFTERNOON OF THE SAME DAY. (NAS DELEGATION WAS PASSING BACK THROUGH BUENOS AIRES FROM MONTEVIDEO, EN ROUTE TO THE US)--ACCORDING TO DR. WEINSTEIN THE RELEASE TOOK PLACE AT 0300. AN ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORTER ALSO SPOKE TO DR. WEINSTEIN AND WAS GIVEN THE SAME STORY.

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3. FROM WHAT WE CAN DETERMINE ABDUCTION WAS A ROUTINE SECURITY PICKUP. ALTHOUGH RUMORS CIRCULATED EARLIER TODAY (3/14) THAT A RANSOM HAD BEEN PAID DR. WEINSTEIN

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